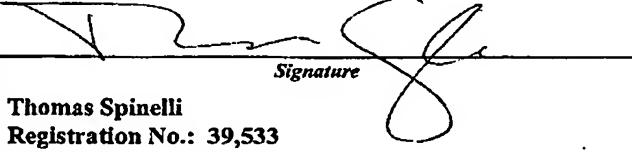


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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>						Docket No. 17575
In Re Application Of: Kazuya Matsumoto, et al.						
Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.	
10/811,041	March 26, 2004	Philip Robert Smith	23389	3739	9537	
Invention: CAPSULE ENDOSCOPE SYSTEM						
<b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>						
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>4/3/2006</u> above-identified application.						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):						
<input type="checkbox"/> One month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months						
from: <u>7/3/2006</u> <i>Date</i>			until: <u>9/3/2006</u> <i>Date</i>			
**one month previously paid on August 1, 2006**						
The fee for the extension of time is ** \$330 ** and is to be paid as follows:						
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1013 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013 <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>						
 <i>Signature</i>						
Dated: September 5, 2006						
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